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2. General remarks.

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 - a. U.S. Patent No. 4,458,109 issued July, 1994 to Mueller-Schloer;
 - b. U.S. Patent No. 5,553,145 issued September, 1996 to Micali;
 - c. U.S. Patent No. 5,557,518 issued September, 1996 to Rosen;

- d. U.S. Patent No. 5,703,949 issued December, 1997 to Rosen;
- e. U.S. Patent No. 6,073,242 issued June, 2000 to Hardy et al.;
- f. U.S. Patent No. 6,105,072 issued August, 2000 to Fischer;
- g. U.S. Patent No. 6,145,084 issued November, 2000 to Zuili et al.;
- h. U.S. Patent No. 6,363,479 issued March, 2002 to Godfrey et al.;
- i. ITU-T, F.400/X.400 – Message handling system and service overview, Jul. 1996, International Telecommunication Union;
- j. ISPortal, Putting the Internet to Work for Private WANs, 1998, compatible Systems; and
- k. Kent et al., RFC 2402-IP Authentication Header, Nov. 1998, The Internet Society.


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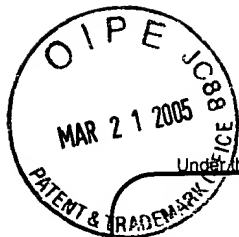
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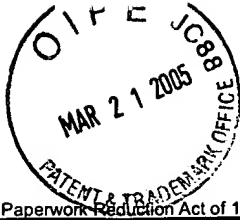
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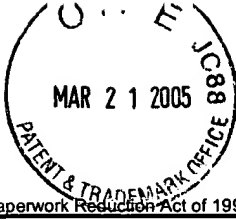
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